

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to law as it existed prior to the 82nd General Assembly.

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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1608

5 By: Representative Elliott  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 27-35-104 PERTAINING TO  
10 THE TRANSPORTATION OF PERSONS IN THE BACK OF NON-  
11 COMMERCIAL TRUCKS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

## Subtitle

13 "TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 27-35-104  
14 PERTAINING TO THE TRANSPORTATION OF  
15 PERSONS IN THE BACK OF NON-COMMERCIAL  
16 TRUCKS."  
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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22 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 27-35-104 is amended to read as follows:

23 "§ 27-35-104. Riding in spaces not for passengers.

24 (a) No person shall ride on any vehicle upon any portion of the vehicle  
25 not designed or intended for the use of passengers.

26 (b) This section shall not apply to any employee engaged in the  
27 necessary discharge of a duty or to persons riding within bodies of trucks in  
28 space intended for merchandise. However, the governing body of a city may, by  
29 ordinance, prohibit persons under twelve (12) years of age from riding within  
30 bodies of trucks in space intended for merchandise. In that case, the  
31 prohibition of persons riding within bodies of trucks in space intended for  
32 merchandise as provided by ordinance of the governing body of the city shall  
33 govern with respect to vehicles traveling in the city."  
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35 SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature  
36 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code

1 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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3 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to  
4 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect  
5 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without  
6 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this  
7 act are declared to be severable.

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9 SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are  
10 hereby repealed.

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